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SUBJECT: KIM IL SUNG ACCOUNT OF AUGUST 18 INCIDENT

REF: STATE 298095

1. MAINICHI INTERVIEW APPEARS TO HAVE HAD LITTLE IMPACT AND
UNLIKELY TO ALTER JAPANESE PERCEPTIONS OF AUGUST 18 INCIDENT.
JAPANESE MEDIA GAVE CONSIDERABLE COVERAGE TO STILL PHOTOS AND
MOVIES OF AUGUST INCIDENT WHICH CONTRIBUTED TO GENERAL PUBLIC
ACCEPTANCE OF MEASURES TAKEN BY U.S. AT THAT TIME.
(WE HAVE HEARD NOTHING DISPARAGING REMARKS ABOUT FACT
MAINICHI GAVE INTERVIEW SUCH FULL COVERAGE.)
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